

BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

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POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Docket No. R97-1

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE NOTICE
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CURRIE'S DECLARATION
(December 15, 1997)

On December 10, 1997, the Presiding Officer directed the Postal Service to file a declaration of authenticity for witness Currie applicable to interrogatory OCA/USPS-T42-2. Tr. V18/8216. The interrogatory response adopts witness Currie's responses to interrogatories OCA/USPS-T11-1-18 from Docket No. MC97-2 as his testimony in this case. An appropriate declaration is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

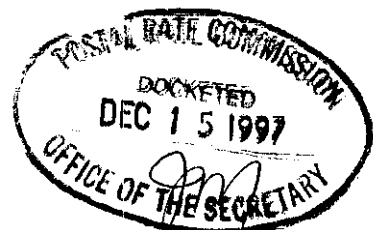
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DECLARATION

I, John V. Currie, declare under penalty of perjury that my response to interrogatory OCA/USPS-T42-2, which confirms my adoption of the answers to interrogatories OCA/USPS-T11-1-18 (Docket No. MC97-2) as my testimony in Docket No. R97-1, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, and that were I to testify orally, my testimony would be the same.



John V. Currie

Date: 12/11/97

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.



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